

6794 US Highway 76 Prosperity, SC 29127

**Grades** 6-8 Middle School

**Enrollment** 592 Students

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# 2011 REPORT CARD

## RATINGS OVER 5-YEAR PERIOD

ABSOLUTE RATING	GROWTH RATING
Good	Good
Average	Good
Average	Average
Average	Below Average
Average	At-Risk
	Good Average Average Average

#### **DEFINITIONS OF SCHOOL RATING TERMS**

- Excellent School performance substantially exceeds the standards for progress toward the 2020 SC Performance Vision
- Good School performance exceeds the standards for progress toward the 2020 SC Performance Vision
- Average School performance meets the standards for progress toward the 2020 SC Performance Vision
- Below Average School is in jeopardy of not meeting the standards for progress toward the 2020 SC Performance Vision
- At-Risk School performance fails to meet the standards for progress toward the 2020 SC Performance Vision

#### SOUTH CAROLINA PERFORMANCE VISION

By 2020 all students will graduate with the knowledge and skills necessary to compete successfully in the global economy, participate in a democratic society and contribute positively as members of families and communities.

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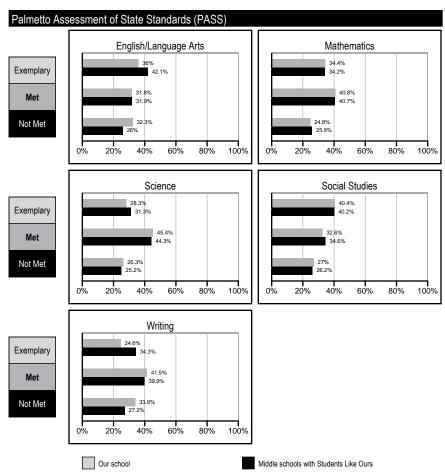
98.1%

## Percent of Student PASS Records Matched for Purpose of Computing Growth Rating

Percent of students tested in 2010-11 whose 2009-10 test scores were located

ABSOLUTE RATINGS OF MIDDLE SCHOOLS WITH STUDENTS LIKE OURS*							
Excellent Good Average Below Average At-Risk							
9	21	10	1	1			

<sup>\*</sup> Ratings are calculated with data available by 11/09/2011.



<sup>\*</sup> Middle schools with Students Like Ours are middle schools with poverty indices of no more than 5% above or below the index for the school.

Definition of 0	Critical Terms
Exemplary	"Exemplary" means the student demonstrated exemplary performance in meeting the grade level standard.
Met	"Met" means the student met the grade level standard.
Not Met	"Not Met" means that the student did not meet the grade level standard.

# End of Course Tests

Percent of tests with scores of 70 or above on:	Our Middle School	Middle Schools with Students Like Ours
Algebra 1/Math for the Technologies 2	100.0%	97.4%
English 1	100.0%	92.3%
Biology 1/Applied Biology 2	N/A	96.9%
Physical Science	N/A	24.1%
US History and the Constitution	N/A	100%
All Subjects	100.0%	94.9%

School Profile				
	Our School	Change from Last Year	Middle Schools with Students Like Ours	Median Middle School
Students (n=592)				
Students enrolled in high school credit courses (grades 7 & 8)	40.9%	Up from 22.8%	31.2%	24.5%
Retention rate	0.9%	Up from 0.7%	0.5%	0.7%
Attendance rate	96.1%	No Change	96.2%	95.9%
Served by gifted and talented program	42.2%	Up from 34.8%	24.1%	17.8%
With disabilities other than speech	9.8%	Down from 13.2%	7.5%	9.2%
Older than usual for grade	1.2%	Down from 2.5%	1.0%	1.5%
Out-of-school suspensions or expulsions for violent and/or criminal offenses	0.0%	Down from 1.3%	0.4%	0.4%
Annual dropout rate	0.0%	No Change	0.0%	0.0%
Teachers (n=41)				
Teachers with advanced degrees	73.2%	Up from 69.0%	59.8%	60.0%
Continuing contract teachers	87.8%	Up from 83.3%	81.9%	82.6%
Teachers returning from previous year	90.5%	Up from 89.5%	87.6%	85.6%
Teacher attendance rate	95.9%	Up from 95.8%	95.5%	95.3%
Average teacher salary*	\$46,300	Up 0.8%	\$46,680	\$46,300
Professional development days/teacher	10.0 days	Down from 10.5 days	10.0 days	9.9 days
School				
Principal's years at school	3.0	Up from 2.0	5.0	4.0
Student-teacher ratio in core subjects	14.5 to 1	Down from 17.0 to 1	23.1 to 1	21.5 to 1
Prime instructional time	90.8%	Up from 90.0%	90.5%	90.1%
Opportunities in the arts	Good	No Change	Good	Good
SACS accreditation	No	Down from Yes	Yes	Yes
Parents attending conferences	99.4%	Up from 99.1%	98.7%	98.1%
Character development program	Average	Down from Good	Good	Good
Dollars spent per pupil**	\$6,701	Down 14.2%	\$7,145	\$7,634
Percent of expenditures for instruction**	67.9%	Up from 64.2%	64.7%	64.0%
Percent of expenditures for teacher salaries**	67.1%	Up from 60.3%	62.5%	61.2%

<sup>\*</sup> Includes current year teachers contracted for 185 or more days.

<sup>\*\*</sup> Prior year audited financial data are reported.

MID CAROLINA MIDDLE 11/09/11-3601019

## Report of Principal and School Improvement Council

As a 2010 Palmetto Silver Award Winner, Mid-Carolina Middle School continues to strive for levels of excellence in learning and making our students productive citizens! Maintaining communication from school to home and around the community continues to be a goal.

MCMS implemented the Redo Café for struggling students in the areas of academics. Transition Nights for rising 6th, 7th and 8th graders were held in the spring to assist parents with new expectations. An end of year Promotion Ceremony was held for 8th grade students entering high school next year. Single-gender classes continue to be utilized in grades 6 through 8 in the core subject areas. An enrichment period also continues to be implemented for every student to work on problem solving strategies as well as enrich the four core areas. The school added an after school program for students at the cut-off of scoring at the met level on PASS in addition to continuing to provide after-school tutoring.

MCMS school wide goals continued to be maintaining high levels of literacy to include reading, writing and speaking. We implemented the next steps in the Internal Instructional Review process for attaining high expectations on all assessments. We continued our previous schoolwide goal to increase communication from school to home by utilizing a daily agenda as a communication tool, the school Alert Now message system, adding teacher websites to include homework assignments, improving our school website and sending home a monthly school newsletter.

MCMS values the key practices of the Making Middle Grades Work Initiative as well as the district-wide Working on the Work Framework for creating engaging lessons for students. We conducted 4 curriculum nights for parents and students: A Day in the Life of Your Middle School Student, Science/Math Night, ELA/Social Studies Night and the Spring Arts Festival.

The school also began increasing communication in the community by sending the school newsletter to all local churches. Community Service Projects included Relay for Life, St. Jude's, American Heart Association, Operation Christmas Child, Juvenile Diabetes, Pennies for Patients and the Manna House Canned Food Drive. Accomplishments included:

Mr. Zeb Reid- Teacher of the Year and Ms. Pam Cook- Support Staff of the Year 6th Place State Science Olympiad Team 4 students won invitations to compete at the National Beta Club Convention 1 student was elected as SC Beta Club Chaplain Excellent Rating in Band Concert Festival Students in Region 3 Honors Band Superior Ratings at Solo and Ensemble Excellent Rating for Chorus Festival 13. Junior Scholars

Approximately 50% of all students on Principal's Honor Roll/A-B Honor Roll

educating all children to be successful, productive citizens.

32 Duke TIP Scholar Students

84 new inductees in the Junior Beta Club

The Mid-Carolina Middle School staff along with the PTO and SIC strives for excellence by being committed to

Evaluations by Teachers, Students and Parents									
	Teachers	Students*	Parents*						
Number of surveys returned	42	169	93						
Percent satisfied with learning environment	97.6%	74.4%	80.9%						
Percent satisfied with social and physical environment	100.0%	79.9%	82.6%						
Percent satisfied with school-home relations	90.2%	83.9%	77.5%						

<sup>\*</sup> Only students at the highest middle school grade level and their parents were included.

#### No Child Left Behind

# School Adequate Yearly Progress

NO

This school met 18 out of 27 objectives. The objectives included student performance, graduation rate or student attendance, and participation in the state testing program.

Definition: As required by the United States Department of Education, Adequate Yearly Progress specifies that the statewide target is met for "All Students" and for the following subgroups: Racial/Ethnic, Subsidized Meals, Disability, and Limited English Proficiency in the areas of English/Language Arts and Mathematics, as well as meeting the statewide target for "All Students" for attendance or graduation rate.

### School Improvement Status

School	Improvement Key
NI	Newly Identified-The school missed adequate yearly progress (AYP) for two years. Sanction: Offer school choice.
CSI	Continuing School Improvement-The school missed AYP for three years. Sanctions: Continue school choice and implement supplemental services.
CA	Corrective Action-The school missed AYP for four years. Sanction: Continue school choice and supplemental services. The school district takes a corrective action.
RP	Plan to Restructure-Sanctions: Continue school choice and supplemental services. Develop a plan to restructure. If the school misses AYP the next year, the school implements the restructuring plan.
R	Restructure-The school missed AYP after two years of corrective action. Sanctions: Implement the restructuring plan. Continue school choice and supplemental services.
DELAY	The school met AYP in all subgroups and the indicator for one year, thus the delay provision applies. The school remains in the same status as last year and is referred to as in "Delay."
HOLD	The school made progress for one year in the subject area that identified the school for school improvement. The school remains in the same status as last year and is referred to as in "Hold."

Teacher Quality and Student Attendance		
	Our District	State
Classes in low poverty schools not taught by highly qualified teachers	2.7%	1.7%
Classes in high poverty schools not taught by highly qualified teachers	0.0%	4.4%

	Our School	State Objective	Met State Objective
Classes not taught by highly qualified teachers	0.0%	0.0%	Yes
Student attendance rate	96.1%	94.0%**	Yes

<sup>\*</sup> Or greater than last year

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PASS Performance By	y Group									
	Enrollment 1st Day of Testing	% Tested	% Not Met	% Met	% Exemplary	School % Met or Exemplary*	District % Met or Exemplary*	State % Met or Exemplary*	Performance Objective Met	Participation Objective Met
English/Langu	uage Art	ts - Stat	e Perfor	mance	Objectiv	re = 79.	4% (Me	t or Exe	mplary)	
All Students	590	99.8	32.3	31.8	36	77.8	76.6	82.4	Yes	Yes
Gender										
Male	296	99.7	40.2	28	31.8	71.3	70.3	78.7	N/A	N/A
Female	294	100	24.4	35.5	40.1	84.3	83.2	86.2	N/A	N/A
Racial/Ethnic Group										
White	389	99.7	20.3	31.9	47.8	88.7	85.7	88.9	Yes	Yes
African American	142	100	57.9	32.1	10	52.9	65.5	72.9	No	Yes
Asian/Pacific Islander	1	I/S	I/S	I/S	I/S	I/S	I/S	93	I/S	I/S
Hispanic American Indian/Alaskan	57 1	100 I/S	50.9 N/A	30.2 N/A	18.9 N/A	66 N/A	76.1 I/S	79.3 83	No I/S	Yes I/S
Disability Status	1	1/3	IN/A	IN/A	IN/A	IN/A	1/3	03	1/3	1/3
Disability Status Disabled	71	98.6	72.1	20.6	7.4	45.6	43.2	48.1	No	Yes
Migrant Status	- 11	30.0	12.1	20.0	7.7	40.0	40.Z	70.1	110	100
Migrant	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	I/S	68.9	N/A	N/A
English Proficiency	1471	14,711	1471	1471	1471	1471	1,0	00.0	1471	1471
Limited English Proficient	39	100	51.1	29.8	19.1	68.1	74.8	78.3	No	I/S
Socio-Economic Status										
Subsidized meals	289	99.7	50	32.6	17.4	63	69.9	75.4	No	Yes
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Mathema							Met or E			
All Students	590	99.8	24.8	40.8	34.4	83.8	80.2	81.9	Yes	Yes
Gender Male	296	99.7	31.1	37.1	31.8	77 G	76.5	79.9	N/A	N/A
rivale Female	296	100	18.5	44.6	36.9	77.6 89.9	83.9	79.9 84.1	N/A N/A	N/A N/A
Racial/Ethnic Group	234	100	10.5	44.0	30.9	03.3	00.9	04.1	IN/A	IN/A
White	389	99.7	15.3	39.1	45.6	91.3	88.5	88.9	Yes	Yes
African American	142	100	48.6	44.3	7.1	67.1	69	71.4	No	Yes
Asian/Pacific Islander	1	I/S	I/S	I/S	I/S	I/S	I/S	94.6	I/S	I/S
Hispanic	57	100	30.2	45.3	24.5	73.6	83.4	81.1	No	Yes
American Indian/Alaskan	1	I/S	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	I/S	84.4	I/S	I/S
Disability Status										
Disabled	71	98.6	63.2	32.4	4.4	52.9	48.6	47.3	Yes	Yes
Migrant Status										
Migrant	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	I/S	77.6	N/A	N/A
English Proficiency										
Limited English Proficient	39	100	29.8	44.7	25.5	74.5	82.4	81.4	No	I/S
Socio-Economic Status										
Subsidized meals	289	99.7	38	44.6	17.4	73.9	74	74.9	No	Yes

<sup>\*</sup> Adjusted to account for natural variation in performance.

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PASS Performance By	y Group							
	Enrollment 1st Day of Testing	% Tested	% Not Met	% Met	% Exemplary	School % Met or Exemplary	District % Met or Exemplary	State % Met or Exemplary
			Scien	се				
All Students	403	100	26.3	45.4	28.3	73.7	64.8	68.6
Gender								
Male	197	100	31.4	39.3	29.3	68.6	62.5	68.3
Female	206	100	21.4	51.2	27.4	78.6	67.2	68.9
Racial/Ethnic Group								
White	267	100	14.2	47.3	38.5	85.8	80.8	80.7
African American	95	100	59.6	36.2	4.3	40.4	45.8	51.4
Asian/Pacific Islander	1	I/S	I/S	I/S	I/S	I/S	I/S	85.3
Hispanic	40	100	27	56.8	16.2	73	64.2	61.6
American Indian/Alaskan	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	I/S	70.8
Disability Status								
Disabled	50	100	68.8	22.9	8.3	31.3	30	35.7
Migrant Status								
Migrant	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	I/S	42.9
English Proficiency								
Limited English Proficient	25	100	28.1	53.1	18.8	71.9	62.3	60.7
Socio-Economic Status								
Subsidized meals	190	100	43.1	46.4	10.5	56.9	54.4	57.3
			Social S	tudies				
All Students	400	100	27	32.6	40.4	73	66.8	72.5
Gender								
Male	195	100	33.2	24.6	42.2	66.8	64	72
Female	205	100	21.3	40.1	38.6	78.7	69.6	73.1
Racial/Ethnic Group								
White	262	100	15.6	34.8	49.6	84.4	77.3	81
African American	95	100	56.4	22.3	21.3	43.6	52.9	60
Asian/Pacific Islander	N/A	N/AV	I/S	I/S	I/S	I/S	I/S	89
Hispanic	42	100	30.8	43.6	25.6	69.2	70.1	69.6
American Indian/Alaskan	1	I/S	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	I/S	73.5
Disability Status								
Disabled	47	100	54.3	23.9	21.7	45.7	39.1	40.5
Migrant Status								
Migrant	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	I/S	53.8
English Proficiency								
Limited English Proficient	28	100	26.5	47.1	26.5	73.5	71.6	69.7
Socio-Economic Status								
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Subsidized meals

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PASS Performance By	/ Group									
	Enrollment 1st Day of Testing	% Tested	% Not Met	% Met	% Exemplary	School % Met or Exemplary	District % Met or Exemplary	State % Met or Exemplary	School Attendance Rate	District Attendance Rate
				Writing	]					
All Students	188	100	33.9	41.5	24.6	66.1	67.6	73.2	96.1	95.8
Gender										
Male	100	100	39.4	41.4	19.2	60.6	59.9	67.2	96	95.7
Female	88	100	27.4	41.7	31	72.6	75.8	79.4	96.3	96
Racial/Ethnic Group										
White	122	100	20.2	47.9	31.9	79.8	79.1	81.5	96.4	95.9
African American	46	100	65.2	28.3	6.5	34.8	52.5	61.3	95.7	95.7
Asian/Pacific Islander	1	I/S	I/S	I/S	I/S	I/S	I/S	87	97.8	96.2
Hispanic	19	100	47.1	35.3	17.6	52.9	69	66.7	95.7	95.8
American Indian/Alaskan	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	I/S	72.2	99.9	95.7
Disability Status										
Disabled	20	100	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV	25	25.3	26	95.6	95
Migrant Status										
Migrant	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	I/S	40.5	N/A	94.8
English Proficiency										
Limited English Proficient	13	100	53.3	26.7	20	46.7	65.3	65.7	96.3	96.1

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Socio-Economic Status

Subsidized meals

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PASS Performance By Grade Level										
	Grade	Enrollment 1st Day of Testing	% Tested	% Not Met	% Met	% Exemplary	% Met or Exemplary			
			Englisl	n/Language A	irts					
	3	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A			
	4	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A			
2010		0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A			
120	5 6	212	99.5	30.2	35.1	34.7	69.8			
	7	198	99.5	31.6	35.3	33.2	68.4			
	8	194	99.5	31.1	33.2	35.8	68.9			
	3	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A			
_	4	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A			
2011	5	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A			
7(	5 6 7	187	100	32.2	31.1	36.6	67.8			
		214	100	28.4	35.6	36.1	71.6			
	8	189	99.5	36.8	28	35.2	63.2			
			M	lathematics						
	3	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A			
0	4	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A			
2010	5 6	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A			
7(	6	212	100	21.2	44.8	34	78.8			
	7	198	99.5	32.1	34.2	33.7	67.9			
	8	194 N/A	99.5	27.9 N/A	43.7	28.4	72.1			
	3		N/AV		N/A	N/A	N/A			
7	4	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A			
2011	5	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A			
2	6 7	187	100	25.7	38.8	35.5	74.3			
		214	100	25.5	39.9	34.6	74.5			
	8	189	99.5	23.1	44	33	76.9			
				Science						
	3	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A			
0	4	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A			
2010	5	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A			
<b>5</b> (	6	106	100	38.6	50.5	10.9	61.4			
	7	197	100	21.6	48.9	29.5	78.4			
	8	96	100	27.4	35.8	36.8	72.6			
	3	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A			
7	4	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A			
2011	5 6	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A			
2		95	100	38.3	44.7	17	61.7			
	7	214	100	20.7	50	29.3	79.3			
	8	94	100	26.7	35.6	37.8	73.3			

PASS Performance By Grade Level											
	Grade	Enrollment 1st Day of Testing	% Tested	% Not Met	% Met	% Exemplary	% Met or Exemplary				
Social Studies											
	3	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A				
0	4	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A				
2010	5	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A				
<b>5</b> (	6	106	100	9.8	55.9	34.3	90.2				
	7	197	100	31.1	30	38.9	68.9				
	8	97	100	31.6	47.4	21.1	68.4				
	3	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A				
_	4	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A				
2011	5	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A				
7	6	92	100	19.1	40.4	40.4	80.9				
	7	214	100	26.4	29.8	43.8	73.6				
	8	94	100	35.9	31.5	32.6	64.1				
Writing											
	3	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A				
0	4	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A				
2010	5	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A				
2(	6	211	100	26.1	42.4	31.5	73.9				
	7	199	99.5	29.8	36.6	33.5	70.2				
	8	194	99.5	24.5	45.8	29.7	75.5				
	3	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A				
7	4	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A				
2011	5	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A				
2	6	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A				
	7	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A				
	8	188	100	33.9	41.5	24.6	66.1				